



# EMS TRAINING PROGRAM ADMINISTRATION MANUAL

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## A. National Standard Curriculum

1. NSC based programs must end on or before June 30, 2012.
2. Following successful completion of testing, certification as an Emergency Medical Technician will be issued for a period of four years from the month of issuance. Upon certification, all standards and recertification requirements for Candidates completing the full initial Emergency Medical Technician training program will apply.

## B. Virginia EMS Education Standards

1. Due to the significant differences in the cognitive and psychomotor domains there will be no Emergency Medical Responder bridge to Emergency Medical Technician program.
2. Emergency Medical Responder/First Responder providers seeking to become an Emergency Medical Technician (EMT) shall attend an entire VEMSES based EMT program.